The Mustard Seed Foundation

Theology of Work

In 2020 we awarded 32 Theology of Work (TOW) grants totaling \$245,428 to seminaries and ministries worldwide. These grants enabled the training of a total of 7,916 seminarians, clergy and lay leaders in the theory, principles and practices associated with cultivating a strong theology of work that brings the same sense of calling to one's work in the world as one's work within the Church.

The Theology of Work grant program was established in 2007. The aim of this special grant initiative is to enable theological institutions and training organizations worldwide to instruct seminarians, pastors, and educators in a biblical basis of a theology of work. It is our desire to see those trained through our grants begin teaching and modeling this theological concept in their own churches and ministries. This theological understanding empowers lay people to infuse their Christian faith in the institutions, structures, and industries in which they work throughout the week.

TOW grants are awarded to theological institutions; both formal and non-formal, to create and offer courses that teach students a theology of work. The institutions are encouraged to integrate this theology into their core curriculum to continue to teach the course after the grant-funded classes are completed.

Access to the grant program is made possible through the International Theology of Work Grant website (<u>www.theologyofworkgrant.com</u>), including resources that can be downloaded.

Theology of Work: 2020 Grant Recipients

Action Regionale de Development Integre (ARDI) Bujumbura, BURUNDI \$13,600

Baptist College of Theology Oyo, NIGERIA \$1,032

Buipa-Builder's Path Africa

Accra, GHANA \$6,000

Champions Theological Institute

Berekum-Sunyani, GHANA *\$9,625*

Eastern Uganda Baptist Association Bugiri, UGANDA \$11,700

Ebenezer Spiritual Center

Masasi, Mtwara, TANZANIA *\$5,000*

Episcopal University Chaima Campus – Maridi Juba, SOUTH SUDAN *\$13,400*

Ezra Rural Ministry Bible School Addis Ababa, ETHIOPIA *\$2,000* Asempa College of Leadership Kotobabi-Accra, GHANA *\$5.000*

Brilliance Family Seminaries Arusha, TANZANIA \$8,200

Center for Transformational Leadership Jos, NIGERIA \$10,500

City Vision University Kansas City, MO \$4,000

Eben-Ezer University of Minembwe Bujumbura, BURUNDI *\$26,400*

Empower a Child Tanzania

Morogoro, TANZANIA *\$5,100*

Evangelicals in Development Association Osu, Accra, GHANA *\$2,750*

Georgia Global Connections Tblisi, GEORGIA *\$14,400*

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International Center for Peace and Reconciliation Abuia, NIGERIA *\$12,420*

Mission Praise Music Ministry Adental, GHANA \$1,800

Nations Outreach Ministries Kitwe, ZAMBIA *\$8,100*

Pentecostal Assemblies of God Tanzania Dodoma, TANZANIA \$5,000

Seventh Day Baptist General Conference Janesville, WI *\$550*

Share Burden International Accra-North, GHANA \$10,256

Square Ministries Africa

Kampala, UGANDA *\$18,100*

Zumpi Gobrokers Kabwe, ZAMBIA *\$2,700* Joy-At-Work Center

West Palm Beach, FL *\$6,006*

Morogoro Bible College Morogoro, TANZANIA \$4,970

New Life Giving Theological College Lusaka, ZAMBIA *\$8,100*

PTS College and Advanced Studies, Inc. Dasmarinas, PHILIPPINES *\$1,188*

Radiant Path Network Navrongo, GHANA \$4,950

Sonya Undugu Initiative Foundation Nairobi, KENYA *\$11,380*

Women Development Ministry Accra, GHANA *\$1,750*

TOW Website Development *\$9,451*